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DOTTORATO IN FORMAZIONE DELLA PERSONA E MERCATO DEL LAVORO

*All students and professors of the above mentioned courses
are invited to the following seminar*

Therapeutic Assessment with Children and Adolescents and their Families

**December 7th, 2017 – classroom 6, S. Agostino
9.00 am - 1.00 pm**

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Visiting Professor of Psychodiagnostic Methods and Techniques at University of Bergamo

Therapeutic Assessment is a semi-structured assessment technique developed over the past 25 years by Stephen Finn (Finn, 2007), who built upon the work of Constance Fischer in collaborative assessment. A large body of research has emerged that shows this approach to have a strong therapeutic effect in a range of clinical settings (see meta-analysis by Poston & Hanson, 2012). The approach promises to transform the way psychological assessment is done. It has been successfully adapted for use with children and adolescents and their families.

This seminar will address the process and techniques of Therapeutic Assessment with children and with adolescents that aim to change the stories they have about themselves, but more importantly, the story the family has about the child/adolescent. Case examples will be used to illustrate the techniques.

Please send an email to luca.belotti@unibg.it to register for the seminar.

The seminar will be held in English; a certificate of attendance will be issued to undergraduate, graduate and doctorate students; the attendance will be acknowledged as part of the traineeship activities.